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TRANSMITTAL OF PATENT APPLICATION FOR FILING

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of:

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For: Plug Connector Arrangement with Latching Actuation Slide Means

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- ☒ Specification and Claims
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Applicant claims small entity status (See 37 CFR 1.27).

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